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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Jason B. THOMAS, et al.

ART UNIT: 2155

SERIAL NO.: 09/576,895

EXAMINER: O. Duong

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FOR: SYSTEM, METHOD AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR  
ANALYZING E-COMMERCE COMPETITION

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Responsive to the outstanding Office Action dated March 14, 2000, entry of the following  
amendments is respectfully requested.



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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

FEE TRANSMITTAL  
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (3 months)  
AMENDMENT

Our check in the amount of \$930.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary extension of time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to Deposit Account No. 50-1442. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a request is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL

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**FEE CALCULATION** **RECEIVED**

1. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
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## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

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2. ☒ Check enclosed.

## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid
					1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge-late filing fee or oath
					1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge-late provisional filing fee or cover sheet
					1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid	1812	2520	1812	2520	Ex parte reexam. fee
1001	750	2001	375	Utility filing fee	1251	110	2251	55	1-mo. ext. of time
1002	330	2002	165	Design filing fee	1252	410	2252	205	2-mo. ext. of time
1003	520	2003	260	Plant filing fee	1253	930	2253	465	3-mo. ext. of time
1004	750	2004	375	Reissue filing fee	1254	1450	2254	725	4-mo. ext. of time
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	1255	1970	2255	985	5-mo. ext. of time

**SUBTOTAL (1)** \$0.00

### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

tot. claims	11	-	20*	=	0	x	\$18	=	0	1403	280	2403	140	Request for Oral Hearing
ind. claims	3	-	3*	=	0	x	\$84	=	0	1501	1300	2501	650	Utility/Reissue Issue Fee
<input type="checkbox"/>	Multiple Dependent Claims				\$280	=				1502	470	2502	235	Design Issue Fee

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid
					1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner
1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20	1806	180	1806	180	IDS Submission
1201	84	2201	42	Independent claims in excess of 3	8021	40	8021	40	Assignment
1203	280	2203	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	1801	750	2801	375	For Filing RCE
1204	84	2204	42	*Reissue independent claims over original patent	1802	900	1802	900	Expedited Design
1205	18	2205	9	*Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	OTHER (indicate below):				

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